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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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(2) Applicant's representative. (4) _____.

Date of Interview: 22 May 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: _____.

Identification of prior art discussed: _____.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicant's representative called to inquire as to the nature of the second examiner's answer mailed 5/16/2008 after the first mailed 4/15/2008. Applicant's representative was assured that the reply date would be determined by the mailing date of the second examiner's answer and not the first.

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